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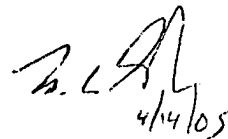
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1. The appeal brief filed on 1/25/2005 is defective because it fails to comply to the new rules.. See 41.37 (c ). The brief fails to include a summary of the claimed Subject Matter and a Grounds of Rejection to be Reviewed on Appeal, which replaces “Issues for Review” and “Grouping of Claims”

To avoid dismissal of the appeal, appellant must ratify the appeal brief within ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS from the mailing of this communication, whichever is longer. Extensions of time may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136.

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Matthew C Graham at telephone number 703-308-2570.

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